KILLED BY

Republica Party Leader Shot During Election in Louisana Yesterday.

DEMOCIATS SWEEP STATE

Lily Wites Contest Simply to Maintan Their Organization. Blandard 12,000 Majority.

(B) Associated Press.)

NEW ORLDANS, LA., April 19.-In an uninteresting general election the Democrats te-day sept the State, electing their ticket, hided by former Justice N. C. Blanchard for Governor, and prac-tically a solid representation in both houses of the Igislature. Former Mayed the oppositio ticket of lily white Republicans, T hegular Republicans put

when the states were to easily with the estate to easily with the estate senator. Senator Murp) J. Foster, having been nominated the primary, will receive practically lesslid vote of both houses. The tickelected to-day follows: (16) nor-N. C. Blanchard, Lienant-Governor-Jared Y. Sanders. Scharp of State-John T. Michael. A) rney-General-Walter Guion. Mitor-Martin B. Herman.

hasurer-J. M. Smith.

perintendent of Public Education-J.

paswell.

DID NOT INSTRUCT.

ennsylvania State Convention Sends Delegates Uninstructed.
(By Associated Press.)
HARRISBURG, PA., April 12.—The

Democratic State Convention which was held here to-day refused to instruct the held here to-day refused to instruct the national delegates from Pennsylvania to vote for the nomination of Judge Alton B. Parker, of New York, for President. The delegates will go to St. Louis uninstructed, and will be bound by the unit rule. An attempt was made at the meeting of the Resolutions Committee of the convention to amend the platform by substituting for the unit rule plant he norgraph instructing the delegates paragraph instructing the delegates of Judge Parker. It falled and the atform as adopted by the committee as unanimously adopted by the conven-

national delegates and electors by the delegates of the Fifteenth wenty-second Districts are contestand Twenty-second Districts are contested. The contests were referred to a committee to be appointed by State Chairman [all. Chairman Hall will be re-elected (-morrow by the State Committee at a annual session.

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ment of je country has become dis-trustful of resident Roosevelt's admin-istration, id declares "that safe, digni-fied admistration has given way to strenuous artisanship, national and in-ternation, and have been fashioned and moulded; stepping stones to the presi-

"To do the country finds in Theodore Roosevel a standing menace to constitution government, to international peace of the business stability and prosperity, it turns to the Democratic organizans for sactety and relief—to that party if conservatives, which from its birth and through so many years, was the bwark against which the spirit of sectifulism, fanaticism, radicalism and the rude, wild theories of experimenlists dashed in vail."

Of trusts and taxation the platform

A month on trial.

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SKIRMISHES REPORTED.

is Heard on April 18th, But Result Is Unknown.

reported to have been killed. At when the Japanese retire, they d

themselves in the straw cloaks

sans. They are making bags, with bark attling, which they fill with earth and se in building the defensive works.

THE DUKE'S ESCAPE. He Gives a Thrilling Account of

tariff revision. To such party stands pledged.

Federal taxation of all kinds should be reduced. The enormous surplus accumulated by the government has not only lated by the government has become

TORONTO IS SWEPT

sale stationers. Ralph Smith and Company, lithograph

window shades.

Menzies Manufacturing Company, window shades.

F. F. Sharpe and Company, photograph-

Office Specialty Company,
The Evening Telegram office and
Irock and Company's warehouse were
badly damaged.

Fire Originated in Warehouse.
The warehouses of W. H. Brock and
Company, Gordan McKay and Company,
Pugsley, Dingman and Company, Charles
Cockshutt and Company and Brown
Brothers were destroyed.
Nothing could resist the force of the
flames as they swept down Bay Street
towards the lake, and the firemen fought
back the fire from side streets, confining
the fire zone to the one thoroughfare.
DYNAMITE USED.
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Several frame buildings, which threatened to cause a spread of the fire, were blown up with dynamite.

At 1:30 this (Wednesday) morning. Bay Street was on fire from Wellington Street down to the lake front, but the firemen were meeting with success in their efforts to prevent a further spread, and it is believed the fire will burn itself out there. The total loss will reach \$10,000,000.

Burning Itself Out.

(By Associated Press.)
TORONTO, April 19, 12:45, A. M.—Thifre is burning itself out in Bay Street
The total loss will reach fully \$10,000,000 diers were killed by Russian scouts on April 18th. Firing was heard on April 18th, but the result of the engagement is unknown. The outposts on the island of Yaiu, between Anju and Wlju, have been engaged in continual skirmishes for teveral days. Some Japanese are reported to have been killed. At night

Buffalo Sends Aid.

BINFALO, N. Y., April 19.—Two fire engines and twenty firemen left here at 11' o'clock to assist the fire fighters in Toronto, They will make the run in about four hours.

STORE ROBBED.

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birth hid through so many years, was the bwark against which the spirit of sectifulism, fanaticism, radicalism and the rude, wild theories of experimentiates dashed in vain."

Of trusts and taxation the platform say "hile we recognize the right of capi-

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began and in the course of the evening explaining the situation; Walter D. Young, representing the Young Men's

explaining the student, water D. Young, representing the Young Men's Civic League; W. W. Fields, Patslo K. Anderson, a woman, who excited the most unbounded enthusiasm; George St. Julian Stophens and others.

The amount of reiteration by the company and essurance by others was sufficient to make plain to these men that the new laws avowedly designed to separate the races on the cars means discrimination against no one, but henefit to all if they were permitted to pass successfully into operation. Speaker followed speaker, and the keynote of one was the clarion call of the other—that another invasion of the rights of the black man was threaterfed, and that the only way to prevent a clash in which he must inevitably go down was to avoid any contact with the alleged malicious and perniclous thing. This meant simply that the negro man and woman and children should walk, and this was in fact the sum total of the meeting.

Gives Good Advice.

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"I beg you in the name of the God that sits on high," said Mitchell, amid great applause, "to be conservative and law-abiding, but to walk."
"We, the women, beg you to walk," said Patsic Anderson, the only woman in the contraction of the con

vanced element which was anxious that Russia should remain in Manchunda, It was to these two men that the Anglo-Japanese entente first lost its terrors. They believed that Great Britain would not go to war, and that Japan could not do so. They succeeded in turning the policy of the empire, carrying out the treaty for, entire evacuation of Manchundar engaling further, demands on churia, pending further demands on

deep voiced audience—walk.

The instructions issued by the company to the conductors were read, and with this as a basis the speeches followed. It was held that the new law would breed discontent and discord, and would end in a clash between the races.

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would end in a clash between the races, The charge was even made that the law was an attempt to do this very thing-force a race riot in which the negroes would suffer.

"Then you will see their guns, their Winchesters," said Mitchell. "But we don't want guns, we want peace, and the way to keep 'it is to let the white way to keep 'it is way to keep 'it is way to keep 'it is way to keep 'i

all to stay off the cars."

Shortly after 11 P. M. the Committee on Resolutions made report and the following formal paper, signed by R. E. Jones, H. L. Harris, H. F. Jonathan, J. P. Pollard, E. A. Washington and Thomas H. Wyatt, was enthusiastically adonted:

sengers on the basis of their color, the enforcement of which enactment is not compulsory, but is left to the action of the company, and,
"Whereas, we deem the enactment of such a law as a hardship upon our race and calculated to do irreparable harm by making it possible to provoke unnecessary clashes between the races, and "Wholeas, we deem the enactment of such a law as unnecessary and unwarranted in view of the relation which exists between the races in this State; therefore, be it
"Resolved, That we, the citizens of Richmond, in mass-meeting assembled,

Richmond, in mass-meeting assembled, enter our solemn protest against the enforcement of this law by any and all public service corporations, recognizing as we do that the enforcement of the law in

Japs Lose Six Soldiers and Firing (By Associated Press.)
LIAO YANG, April 19.—A number of mimportant skirmishes are reported long the Yalu River. Six Japanese solutions

meeting. The Office Action of the negroes is to do what they declare they will—walk. The names of a few of those present will indicate the class of men there:

J. R. L. Diggs, professor at Virginia Union University; Edward Ellis, Jr., vice-president of True Reformers' Bank; Walter D. Jones, president of Young Men's Civic League; L. A. Carter, pastor, of Third Street Baptist Church; B. F. Me-Williams, professor at Union University; A. W. Holmes, chief of the Richmond Division of True Reformers; John Mitchell, editor of the Planet and president of Mechanics' Savings Bank; John W. Barco, professor at Union University; Benjamin Jackson, ex-councilman; T. W. Taylor, chief of God Folks' Home, True Reformers; T. B. Ramsey, a dentist; R. E. Jones, physician, and president of Negro Busines's League; C. E. Wilder and H. L. Harris, physicians; E. A. Washington, cashler Nickle Savings Bank, and many others.

COURTLAND SMITH WINS SECOND MONEY AT BOSTON

He Gives a Thrilling Account of Sinking of the Petropaviovsk. (Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch. Copyright).

HARBIN, April 19.—Grand Duke Cyril, between whom and the Russian throne stands but one life, arrived here to-day, en route to St. Petersburg. His injuries, received in the destruction of the Petropaviovsk, are not severe. He is suffering from burns on the neck and ears, due to the explosion, and bruises in the back, sustained in the waves.

He was able to walk to-day. He gives the following story of his marvelous esseape: (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BOSTON MASS., April 19.—In the jumping classes to-day at the Bos'on Horse Show. Courtland H. Smith, of Alexandria, Ya., was awarded second prize for his "Up-to-Date," ridden by Mr. Smith, which marrowed down the finals with George Papper's Myopia, first, and E. H. Weatherbee's Pearl, third, after a long series of preliminary trials. This was the open class, performances over fences only to count, and Mr. Smith's horse did creditable work. the following story of his marvelous escaps;

"At the mement of the explosion on the Petropevlovsk I was on the bridge, at the other end of which was Admiral Makaroff. The gallant Admiral died at his post.

"It seemed as if the world, the sky and the water had suddenly been rent asunder, and out of the gulf arose a cloud of blinding flame, which burst with a deafening roar into acrid, suffocating fumes.

blinding mane, which all suffocating fumes.

"Dead bodies were floating off the forecastle deck, which already was awash. The sea was covered with wreckage. Scalding steam cut off the escape of the men by the companionway.

"I recall climbing hand over hand down the bridge rails and making my way through the smoke and flame and fumes of powder to a heap of human debris along the deck, and ascending an incline, with the water pushing me into the barbette, into which the sea was pouring with terrific force, requiring all my strength. I swam through reached the barbette port, and dived out.

"I recall dimly that while diving the thought flashed into my mind that I must dive deep and swim as far as possible before rising, as it was the only chance of clearing the suction of the sinking battleship.

"I dived so deep it seemed I would never reach the surface when I struck upward. When I did rise the flagship was gone. I was told later that only one hundred seconds had elapsed between the explosion and the disappearance of the Petropayiovas." Stock Exchange Elects Officers. The Richmond Stock Exchange held its annual meeting yesterday and elected the following officers for the ensuing year; William II. Lucke, president; Fred W. Scott, vice-president; Richard W. Maury, secretary. All three were re-elected.

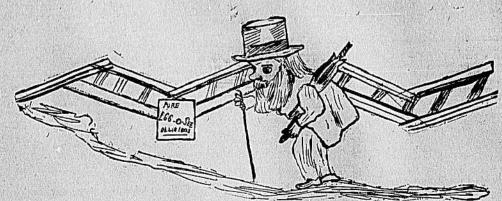
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This sketch was made by Mattie Sel don Preston, age cloven, Central School Richmond, Va.

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MECHANICS IN SESSION

national organization, met yesterday in Dabney's Hall in annual session. There were about sixty-five representatives present from the fifty-six councils of the

Two sessions were field during the day, the first continuing until 2 P. M., and the second until 8:15 P. M., when final adjournment was had. The next State Council will be held at Manassas on the third Tuesday in April, 1905.

The early session was consumed printing the order appears of the order.

closed,

The finances of the order are reported in a sound, healthy condition, and there is in the treasury of the State Council \$755, while each local council has a treasury in good condition.

MEMPORIAL RESOLUTIONS.
Resolutions of respect to the memory of George P. Bowers, of Altoona, Pa., decensed national councilor, were adopted and ordered spread upon the records.

State Vice Councilor Z. P. Smith and National Vice Councilor Z. P. Smith and National Vice Councilor W. E. Faison, of Raleigh, N. C., were visitors at the session, and were invited to seats with the State Council.

These officers were elected or appointed: State councilor, G. C. Jewell, of Richmond; State vice-councilor. Eugene Criver, of Berkley; State secretary, J. E. Bochm, of Roanoke; State treasurer, J. H. Trinyer, of Alexandria; State conductor, E. L. Crockett, of Tangier; State warden, B. B. Bott, of Berkley; State inside sentinel, G. C. Wire, Lovettsville; State outside sentinel, E. G. Williams, Noriolk; chaplain, Rev. W. F. Sheppard, of Claremont; trustees; G. M. Cradlin, of Alexandria; J. H. Mullen, Waterford; J. L. Walkup, Richmond; national representative, E. J. Reed, of Roanoke; Committee on Printing, V. M. Wilcox, of Fredericksburg.

The visiting representatives were entertained at a banquet last night at Daniels's hall on Broad Street, at which all lad an enjoyable svening, and some very good impromptus speeches were marked by harmony throughout, and there was hardly a reference made to the seceeders usually known as the insurgents.

Nearly, all the delegates stopped at

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Total. \$3,515,810 81 ASSETS.

BUSINESS IN VIRGINIA DURING 1905. Number and amount of policies in force December 31, 1002. No. 283 Number and amount of policies issued during the year 1003. 112

J. B. BUNCE, President, W. A. MOORE, Secretary.

State of Concoticut, city of Hartford—ss: Sworn to January 30, 1904, before HARRY E. JOHNSON, Notary Public.

BUCKINGHAM COURT.

Negro Sentenced for Five Years for Murder-A Hard Freeze.

for Murder—A Hard Freeze.

(Sheefal to The Times-Dispatch.)

BUCKINGHAM C. II., VA., April 19.—
The Circuit Court, which has been in sossion sloce the lith, closed to-day. One Mason, a negro, was sent to the peniform tiary for five years for killing a man of his color. There were several applications for seeling liquor, all of which were returned by Judge Hundley, giving as his opinion on the late statute that police portection was not existing that it was against public policy, and that the morang of the community would not be advanced by the sale of ardent spirits.

The spring is a cold and late one, and sarmers are much behind in farm work.

Good farm laborers are very scarce. The young, able-bodied negro spends the winter here and goes in the spring to the coal mines of West Virginia.

There will be a very small crop of to bacco grown in this country, owing to the low price and scarcity of labor.

The prices of fortilizers offered by agents here are from fifty to seventy-five per cent. in excess of the relative value, as given in the fertilizer builetin published by the State Commissioner of Agriculture.

Death of Robert Limerick.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSHURG, VA., April 19—
Mr. Robert Limerick died vesterday at
his home in Falmouth, of paralysis, aged
eighty-two years, He is survived by
one son, one brother and one sistes